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Sunday Accident Near Niles Hurts Oakland Driver

I. Mowat Injured When Car Crashes at Subway

Forced from the lane of traffic when an automobile darted out from the canyon subway south of Niles, the car owned by Irwin Mowat, of 5614 Dover street, Oakland, crashed into a pole in front of the Shuckl cannery at 4:00 p. m. Sunday afternoon. Three persons, riding in the car were cut and bruised.

According to witnesses, the automobile issuing from the subway, alleged to have ben driven by Mrs. E. C. Soderberg, of Hayward, turned in a wide arc out into the traffic coming from Mission San Jose. The resulting collision threw the Mowat car out of control, resulting in the crash against the pole.

Injured in the accident, Mowat and his friends were taken to Hayward for treatment. The Soderberg machine was unscathed.

WOMAN'S CITY CLUB SEES CALIFORNIA NURSERY

The Gardens Section of the Woman's City Club, of San Francisco, were Tuesday guests of the local Garden Club for a tour of the California Nursery gardens, and luncheon at the Castlewood country club.

The day was one of a series of programs and trips arranged by Dr. Helen P. Criswell, of the San Francisco Club. Mrs. Dexter Knight, as president of the crub, headed the group.

Following arrangements made by Mrs. J. R. Whipple the group met at The Adobe on the California Nursery grounds, where E. Macdonald, of the nursery staff, conducted them about the show gardens. Greeted by Mrs. T. N. Chadbourne, acting president of the local Garden Club in the absence of Mrs. W. D. Patterson, the group met in The Adobe, where they heard a personal history of the ancient structure, Mrs. J. E. Thane was the speaker.

Folloming the program at the California Nursery, he group drove to Castlewood country club, where they were addressed oy Allison Woodward, Berkeley garden architect, on form of patios and courts in western United States. Following an inspection of the grounds the group returned to San Francisco, after unanimously stating that they had enjoyed a most unusual and colorful day.

DRIED 'COT PRICES SOAR ACAIN SATURDAY

Dried apricot prices quoted to Santa Clara valley growers by three large packing houses early this week showed a definite increase over previous offerings. Whether or not the newly announced prices are the result of an increased demand, and improved market conditions is hard to say. It is generally thought, however, that the increase is an indication of speculation on the swelling of the price later by inflation. Following are the prices quoted:

Blenheims

Standards	9	cents
Choice	9½	cents
Extra Choice	10	cents
Fancy	10½	cents
Extra Fancy	12	cents

Moorparks

Fancy	11½	cents
Extra Fancy	13	cents

"FESTIVAL" RUMORS BRING CIRCUS OFFER

The Niles Chamber of Commerce Monday received an offer from the Robinson Brothers Circus, for a two-day time of jollity and merry making this summer.

Having a tent with a seating capacity of more than 500, and a retinue of trained dogs, ponies, horses, mules and monkeys, the circus is asking the sum of $350 for a two-day stay. In addition to the animal acts, the show has several aerial acts, and is willing to allow the town to furnish whatever home talent wishes to participate.

Rumors of a celebration to be given in Nile this summer seem much stronger in remote corners of the state than they do here. The fact that the Chamber of Commerce is not to meet again until September 11, will probably slow any plans for a summer festival.

WOMAN POLITICIAN HERE

Greta Christensen, of Oakland, prominent politician of Northern California, and member of the Alameda County Democratic Central Committee, was a guest of Norman H. Parks Saturday afternoon.

Rose Growers To Buiid Plant

Planning to build a warehouse and shipping terminal at Irvington, the Jackson and Perkins Company, commercial rose growers, recently purchased a large portion of the structural steel removed from the old Essanay building at Niles, according to Frank Rose.

One of the largest growers of flowers on a commercial scale, the Jackson & Perkins Company, has establishments at Hollywood and at New York.

The amount of material shipped from the company's rose plots near Irvington, evidently demands a centralized point for shipping.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

July 28—N. O. W. Benefit Whist, I. O. O. F. Hall Niles—8 p. m.
August 13—U. P. E. C. Picnic, Stony Brook Park, all day.

HOLE IN ESSANAY VAULT EXPLAINED BY NILES CITIZEN

"So that's the vault? But what made the hole in it?" is a question that Frank Rose has been asked many times since the wrecking of the Essanay building began. True enough, the vault, a massive concrete cube, did have a hole in it, and here is how it came to be there:

One evening many years ago, just after the Essanay building had been abandoned, a Niles citizen who was passing by heard, within the dark recesses of the structure, a muffled thudding and the clank of steel on stone. Sensing foul play, the citizen summoned Frank Rose, then constable, and the two approached the door. It was securely fastened from within, and silence reigned. "Open this door or I'll blow it down," shouted Rose, producing his .45 calibre pistol and leveling it at the door. More silence, then the door creaked and opened. Rushing in, Rose and the citizen saw the hole in the safe, and a man, then well known in the film world, kneeling before it. He was arrested, and subsequently sent to prison. He had been seeking a valuable film, known to be in the vault.

Thus is the hole explained, and strange to say, the constable's son has only this week leveled the vault to the ground.

SWAINSONS TELL OF EVENTFUL TRIP EAST

A letter from Owen Swainson to the Township Register last week told of the splendid trip to Massachusetts enjoyed by all of the party. Swainson said that his car used 205 gallons of gas and twenty-three quarts of oil over the distrance of 3,800 miles.

Telling of the excellent condition of the Arizona roads as far as the Grand Canyon, Swainson said that Route No. 66 will be the best road across the continent as soon as New Mexico appropriates funds for the repair of roads within her borders. He said that in many places the New Mexico roads are almost impassable during periods of rainy weather. Saying that the New Mexico roads are no place for reckless drivers, Swainson told of numerous accidents seen through that state.

Swainson said that east of the New Mexico border, in Texas and Oklahoma, the crops are in poor condition, due to lack of rain this year. He said that the few crops planted had made only miserable growth.

Although he found the middle west in dire condition, Swainson said that business is noticeably picking-up in the east. Many mills and factories, closed heretofore, are now open on full time schedules.

The Swainsons' demonstration of permanent waving methods at 400 Forty-second street, New York, was very successful. They will demonstrate later at the Hair Dressers' convention at Chicago.

From Massachusetts, the Swainsons will go to New York again, then to Ashbury Park and Atlantic City. After visiting in New Jersey and at Washington, D. C., they will go to Chicago. They plan to take the northern route back to California.

Niles Personal Items

George Geib and Melvin Teeter were guests at a surprise party last Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Rose George, at Pleasanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hume, of Modesto; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Roberti, of Oakland; Mrs. M. Barry, Mrs. Kate Ramackel, Mrs. P. H. Rogers and Mrs. Bloodsworth were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hiser Sunday.

Heavy 'Cot Drying Creates Demand For Crop Workers

RANCHER INJURED AS TRACTOR STALLS NEAR INVINGTON

A. Garcia Suffers Leg Injuries Last Week

Failing to jump clear, when his tractor stalled on a slope and began to roll backwards, A. Garcia, Irvington rancher, was injured last week when the machine passed over his leg, on his place in the hills east of the town.

According to reports, Garcia, an elderly man, was instructed by his son to stay away from the tractor and leave the cultivating work to one of the younger men. Failing to heed this advice, Garcia surreptitiously drove the tractor from the yard and proceeded to carry on with the work. While climbing up a low slope, the machine stalled and began to roll backwards. Garcia, in attempting to leap clear, fell in the path of the juggernaut and suffered a badly crushed leg.

He was taken to the office of Dr. Grimmer, at Irvington, for treatment.

LEAVE FOR LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose left early this week for a three-week stay in the southern part of the state. Rose said that he intends to take a long rest after his strenuous weeks supervising the wrecking of the old Essanay studio.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vannucci, of San Francisco, and family, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Martinelli.

Good Cutters Scarce As Busy Time Draws Near at Hand

With practically all apricot drying establishments in Washington township running full blast under the pressure of a rapid season, the problem of securing efficient harvest help has become somewhat complicated, according to growers. Especially scarce are good cutters, and lucky are the establishments that began early this season. Unlike previous years, when cutting rules were not so rigidly enforced, the farmers are now insistent that the cutters follow instructions implicitly. Government rulings concerning appearance and cleanliness of the dried product, coupled with the fact that the fruit on the average is relatively small, make it necessary for the grower to be "hard boiled" about good cutting practice.

In order to keep the essential cutting rules before the workers at all times, several dryers have posted large signs printed in English and Spanish in the cutting shed.

"Free Wheeling" Is Right When Car Loses Wheel

A car driven by an employee of the American Steel and Concrete Pipe Company, last Thursday endangered life and limb when it threw a wheel while coming up out of the subway at the north of Niles. Wheeling very free, the tire struck the curb in front of P. C. Hansen's lumber yard and skipped nimbly over the fence. Rolling across the yard it struck the building just a scant two feet from the large plate glass windows.

The driver kept the car under control and no one was hurt.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

"THOU SHALT NOT KILL"

For a long time "progressive thinkers," especially in the medical profession, have tried to legalize murder. Imbeciles and hopeless crippled and deformed persons would be put out of their misery by chloroform or other methods equally "humane." Society would be no longer burdened with the helpless or mentally defective if the "modernists" might put into operation their plan.

Seizing upon the murder of an imbecile daughter by a physician in an eastern city, this particular element, enjoying perfect health, we opine, try to justify the doctor and exalt him as a hero of an opening era free from the squeamishness over taking life when worthless, commercially or socially. Well, the jury disagreed, and the case will not be brought to trial again, was the news that the press dispatches carried. The aged physician will pay no penalty on this earth for his "deed of love." Nor was any precedent established that would encourage others to lift from themselves the burden of caring for the helpless and maimed through the avenue of homicide.

Perhaps it was the easiest way out of a very delicate situation. The doctor had suffered by his offspring for many years. His devotion had been touching, and then after thirty years of crushing sacrifice, he breaks under the strain and commits murder. About ready to meet his maker, he pauses at the threshold of death with the stain of Cain upon his hands.

"Thou shalt not kill," the Commandment is plain. There is no mistaking the meaning. The words are not qualified. Nor can man qualify them.

If we are concerned about imbeciles and hopelessly and helplessly defective people, why not

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OFFICER KICKED UNDER CHIN BY AUTOMOBILIST

WATCHMAN PREVENTS 2 THEFTS

Art Roderick Twice Surprises Thieves Last Week

The value of a night watchman to the town of Niles was plainly shown last week when Art Roderick twice thwarted evil-doers.

Last Wednesday morning at 1:30 o'clock, culprits armed with a glass cutter etched out a neat square in the plate glass window of the J. J. Alberg hardware store, evidently with the intention of stealing the guns kept on display. Before the thieves could finish their cutting attempt, Roderick, who had just made his rounds at the north end of town, returned down First street. Although he saw neither hide nor hair of the culprits, it is certain that his presence prevented a robbery. Neal Alberg, of Oakland, who was tending the store in the absence of his brother, said that he had heard a scraping noise at 1:30 a. m., but did not consider any investigation necessary.

The second of the attempted robberies occured the following night, Thursday, at the early morning hour of 3:00. Roderick, driving slowly down First street in his car, noticed a car standing on J street, far out from the curb with its lights out. Nearby was the car of a Niles man, parked in its usual place at the side of the street. Sensing that everything was not as it should be, Roderick drove past the intersection of J and First streets as though he had noticed nothing. Then parking his car in front of Martinelli's store, he walked quietly around the corner and proceeded toward the parked cars. While he was still yards from the machines, two men sprang from the parked car to the one waiting in the street. They drove swiftly away, while Roderick raced back to his own car, to give chase. By the time he had turned around and was under way, the miscreants had secured a good start. In the chase that followed, Roderick's machine was outdistanced by the thieves more powerful car. Roderick drove back and examined the automobile parked on J street. Several loose lugs told that the thieves had been surprised in the act of stripping the machine.

Breaks Wheel In Crash, Then Has Tire Stolen

Swerving into the curb at too great a speed Sunday night, the roadster driven by Frank Rodrigues, of Niles, came out second best, with a wheel missing. Intent on removing his car from

First street, Rodrigues backed it around the corner, for the moment forgetting that his tire was still at the scene of the accident. When he returned to retrieve the missing circlet, someone had made off with it.

Drunken Driver and Pal Escape Jail But Get Stiff Fine

Arrested between Mission San Jose and Warm Springs Monday for driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor, Verner Strom, of Oakland, Monday pled guilty before Judge J. A. Silva and was fined seventy-five dollars.

Waxing extremely tough when stopped by Officer Duffy Lewis, Strom and his friends, numbering five, and all with three sheets in the wind, began to argue about the reasons for their arrest. One of their number, an elderly man named Widell, climbed out of the car, and weaving about unsteadily approached Officer Lewis with obvious hostile intent. Collapsing before he could make any passes, Widell was assisted back into the car by the officer, whereupon the tipsy one aimed and landed a hearty "kick to Officer Lewis" teeth. Out of patience with this horseplay, Lewis took the whole outfit to see the judge, who promptly fined Strom for drunken driving and Widell $25 for interferring with an officer in the pursuit of his duty.

In view of the fact that Widell was ill and very old, he escaped the more serious charges of resisting an officer.

Officer Lewis, with his customary good humor, merely laughs (as well as his bitten tongue will permit).

Peace Disturber Gets Thirty Days In Jail

Pleading guilty to charges of disturbing the peace, brought by his wife, Providencia, Epifanio Melendez, of Decoto, Friday pled guilty before Judge J. A. Silva and was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

Melendez was arrested on July 18, when he molested his wife, after being warned by the authorities against any disturbing activities. His wife, who has been maintaining herself and her children separately, said that Melendez objected to the uses to which she put the money she had earned.

Decoto Chamber Takes Three Week Vacation

After finding that they could no longer collect a quorum because so many of the members are away on vacations, the Decoto Chamber of Commerce recently decided to adjourn for a period of a month.

The next meeting will take place on the third Wednesday in August, at which time any business held over the vacation period will be finished.

Pleads Guilty; Given Freedom

Mrs. Adeline Costa, of Newark, having previously entered a plea of not guilty to charges of battery brought by Eva Rose, last week withdrew her plea, and waiving a jury trial, pled guilty to the charges. Tried before Judge J. A. Silva Friday she was given a sentence of ninety days, with committment withheld on good behaviour.

Mrs. Costa was arraigned before Judge Silva on July 14 on charges brought by Eva Rose, also of Newark. Mrs. Costa was alleged to have struck Miss Rose in an altercation arising out of a domestic dispute.

Insisting that she had learned her lesson, and henceforth would never take the law into her own hands, Mrs. Costa was allowed to go home, after promising good behaviour in the future.

Do You Know—

That mirrors used by the ancients were made of thin, highly polished metal, bronze, silver or brass. The first glass mirrors were made at Venice in 1300 A. D., and introduced first into England early in the seventeenth century.

-KAHARL-

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Almanac Dates Far Back Into Early Day History

Almanacs date far back into antiquity, being issued as far back as the Fifth century after Christ by the Chinese. It is thought likely that they are of even older origin, dating back into early days of Asiatic history, says the Washington Star.

The early productions, however, were limited, as they were produced by long hand, but with the advent of printing they became much more widely circulated. Containing much valuable information on astronomy, the tides and other such matters, they also were cheapened by coarse and superstitious remarks. They were often given to prediction both of the course of the weather and the probable occurrence of events. Most of the prognostications, however, were purely imaginary, although one outstanding example did occur when one Nostradamus foretold the death of Henry II of France.

Franklin's Poor Richard Almanac, first published in 1732, was the most famous of the American almanacs of the early history of America. Since that time, however, the advancement of the almanac has been rapid, and now many are put out which are reference books of great value containing information, properly catalogued on a wide variety of subjects.

Animal Characteristics Much Like Those of Men

Animal personalities vary as much as human personalities. No two animals will react to the same stimuli in exactly the same manner. Neither can all leopards, for instance, be judged as one. I have had leopards as pets, notes a writer in Tit-Bits Magazine, which were as fond of me and nearly as trustworthy as a dog. I have also had leopards that were the incarnation of rage and vindictiveness.

It is possible, however, to separate animals into general classifications as regards temperament. Leopards are excitable and nervous, given to violent outbreaks. They are easily frightened and, although their fear often leads them to attack, it is a sort of desperation because of their nervousness and thoughtlessness. Lions are given to terrible bursts of fury, but it requires more time and cause to start a lion than a leopard. Lions think over a situation before plunging. Leopards fight at the drop of the hat—or less.

Cheetahs, although not strictly members of the cat family, exhibit the temperamental qualities of both the lion and leopard. They are very nervous, but at times have a calmness and repose suggestive of lions. When tamed and accustomed to humans, cheetahs can be affectionate and docile. This is a trait of the lion.

Stonehenge

"Stonehenge" is a name that applies to the huge monoliths. About the half of the word "henge" there is some difference of opinion. The Anglo-Saxon word "henge" means something hanging or supported in the air. It is possible that in some prehistoric time these great monoliths supported some kind of a ladder. Another theory with reference to the word is that Stonehenge was erected to commemorate some act of Hengist, one of the early rulers of a part of Britain.

City Life Reforms Sparrow

A member of the French Academy of Medicine, celebrated his hundredth birthday anniversary by reading a paper before that body, covering the observations of sparrows. He said: "The country sparrow and the city sparrow are close blood relations, and the country sparrow is rightly detested for its voracity and evil ways. But the little sparrow of Paris has completely changed its character. Pampered and spoiled by its human neighbors, it has become a lovable, cheery comrade whose presence adds a pleasure to our walks and outings. City life has given the sparrow refinement and culture and made it a wholly respectable and agreeable member of society."

Woodrow Wilson Brought Up in Religious Family

Woodrow Wilson was "a conservative orthodox Presbyterian." Son of Rev. Joseph R. Wilson, it is said that his election to the Presidency was predicted for him by his parent. The boy was born and reared in a parsonage. His first teacher was his mother, Janet or Jessie Woodrow, daughter and grand-daughter of Presbyterian clergymen. Later he went to school to his father, then to Davidson college and Princeton university. Deciding upon teaching as his life work, he lectured after graduation at Bryn Mawr, Wesleyan and Princeton. He became president of his alma mater in 1902, the first layman ever to hold that position. When at last he was elected to the highest office in the gift of the American people he found his faith a necessity; without it, he said, he could not go on. "I do not understand how any man can approach the discharge of the duties of life," he confessed, "without faith in the Lord Jesus Christ."

Wilson while President worshiped at the Central Presbyterian church and on occasion attended the New York Avenue, First and Eastern Presbyterian churches. He became a close friend of the Rt. Rev. James E. Freeman, bishop of Washington, in the last months of his life, and when he died was entombed at Washington cathedral. Thousands annually make a pilgrimage to the Bethlehem chapel where he rests, a crusader with his cross.

Diamond Drilling Most Tedious Task in World

Perhaps the most tedious job in the world, especially measured by visible results, is the drilling of holes in diamonds. A hole .0004 of an inch in diameter takes two weeks of continuous drilling 24 hours a day, says Pathfinder Magazine. During the drilling fresh diamond dust and oil are dropped upon the spot where the steel needle is attempting to bite into the gem.

No machine being delicate enough, the work is all done by hand or foot power. The steel needle remains stationary, while the diamond to be drilled is mounted on a spindle and rotated rapidly.

These drilled diamonds are used as dies for drawing the tungsten wire filaments used in incandescent light bulbs. No hole has ever been bored fine enough for the filament of a three-watt lamp, so these must be etched in acid to reduce their diameter. The town of Trevoux, France, has practically a monopoly on diamond drilling.

Lotteries Were O. K'd by Government, States

A New York woman who had the time and money has gathered several hundred lottery tickets which had been officially sanctioned by the government, state or city of this country at some time in its history. It has been presented to the historical society of that city. The collection includes advertisements and other references to this method of raising money for various public purposes.

There are tickets in the collection for a United States lottery sanctioned by congress: a New York city lottery in 1790 for enlarging city hall, and tickets for a Washington monument in Baltimore in 1816, with engraved portraits of George Washington on them.

Of equal interest are Delaware lottery tickets of 1772 signed by Lord Sterling, major general in the Revolutionary war; the Hon. William Byrd's lottery signed by Peyton Randolph of Virginia in 1768; a Faneuill hall lottery ticket, dated Boston, 1765, and signed by John Hancock. In 1860 the state of Delaware sponsored a lottery for its benefit with $578,557 offered in prizes. The Louisiana State lottery company was incorporated in 1868 and was perhaps the largest doing business in the United States.

Science Finds Shaving Does Not Affect Beard

Among the many interesting facts science has found out about hair is that men's whiskers and lovely feminine tresses, as well as cats' claws, bird beaks, stag antlers and even fingernails and teeth all come from the scales of our fish ancestors. In this connection it has been found that our hair is closely related to our teeth. In fact, they are claimed to be only slightly different developments of the same stuff—natures made-over fish scales.

Through its discoveries science has cleared up much of the mystery about our hair. Common opinion has always been that the effect of a razor on hair is like that of a lawn mower on grass—to make it come out thicker and heavier. But this is not so and it is quite safe to remove offending hair with a razor whenever one desires. Experiments have shown that there is no noticeable difference in quality or quantity after shaving. The only difference is that short hair seems to be stiffer and heavier than long hair. But when the short hair has reached its normal length again there is no apparent difference.—Pathfinder Magazine.

ITALY'S "DRUNKEN HOUSE" IS DOOMED

Built With Wine for Water by Tipsy Workmen.

Foggia, Italy.—The strange story of Foggia's "Drunken House" that was actually built with wine as the result of a curious feud between two rich Italian landowners in 1850 came to light here with plans to destroy the freak structure.

It was built in one night by the late Tommasco Antonio Bucci, famous vine-grower, with the aid of a friend's eleven sons—for the sole purpose of annoying Bucci's irascible neighbor, Don Francesco Saverio Figliola, wealthy cattle raiser and rural representative of the then king of Naples.

It appears that the fame of Bucci's wine spread far and wide and many people flocked to the vine-grower's place to get the product at its source—much to the annoyance of Don Francesco.

Exasperated by Don Francesco's complaints, Bucci finally decided to play a trick on him. Don Francesco's house commanded an imposing view of the city in which the landowner took a tremendous pride. Bucci determined to build a house on his own property that would just hide that view.

After he bought his building materials, he found his neighbor, official representative of the king of Naples, had ordered that no laborers take employment from him.

Bucci, more determined now than before, called into consultation his friend, Giovanni Raho, who volunteered the services of his eleven sons.

But as soon as Don Francesco learned of this, all the wells of the city were ordered closed and a guard stationed at each one.

But an ingenious idea came to Bucci. If plaster could be mixed with water, why couldn't it be mixed with wine?

That night there was a rumbling of rolling barrels in the Bucci cellar as his friend's eleven sons got busy. Barrel after barrel of the strong red wine for which Bucci was noted gurgled into mortar.

The result was a beautiful vermillion-colored plaster with which the eleven youths working through the night with frenzied energy put up the walls of a two-story structure that just concealed Don Francesco's view.

During the night the vapor of the boiling wine gave the eleven youths the equivalent of an all-night alcoholic jag and though they had refrained from touching a drop of the liquor they staggered drunkenly as the night wore on.

With the dawn there was a curious sight: a strange irregular structure with lopsided walls something like the lines in a futuristic drawing.

Tongs Not Imported

Chinese tongs did not come from China; they originated in the United States. It is generally believed that they were first organized in California and Nevada during the early gold rush and had their inception in the theory that might makes right. The meaning of a tong is protective society.

Collector Delinquent; Township Has Surplus

Altoona, Pa.—Allegheny township, Blair county, had a surplus in its treasury as the new year started because of the delinquencies of a tax collector.

Frank Ertl, collector of school, county and road taxes for many years, was accused of converting $17,641 of tax money to his own use over a four-year period. He was arrested, tried and sent to prison.

Bondsmen for the tax collector gave the township a check for $14,500 and agreed to return to the district back tax duplicates aggregating $8,558 in seetlement of the case. Officials estimate about 50 per cent of the back taxes can be collected.

With these funds deposited in the bank, the township was able to meet 1933 with a balanced budget and a treasury surplus.

Bee Parley Ends in Buzz and Sting

Boise, Idaho.—Near-panic resulted when a swarm of bees, accidentally set free in a Boise hotel, stung everyone from their owner, Mrs. H. H. Keck, to several state legislators.

The accident brought a stinging climax to the Honey Producers convention when a bellboy knocked the cage to the floor, freeing the bees. They swirled out, stinging the bellboy until he was forced to flee. Mrs. Keck was the next victim.

Then they made for the open hotel lobby where legislators were relaxing. Chairs were overturned and general chaos reigned for nearly an hour.

Finally R. W. Childs, hotel manager, leading a squadron of employees armed with fly swatters, drove the bees into another cage.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK

By WALTER TRUMBULL

It was a good many years ago that John Barrymore made one of his first stage successes in "The Fortune Hunter." The play went so well that Louis Joseph Vance was induced to write a book from it. The book was illustrated by Arthur William Brown, and Winchell Smith induced Barrymore to pose for some of the illustrations. The other day a young man came to Mr. Brown's studio. He brought him a battered copy of "The Fortune Hunter," which he said he had picked up in a Chinese book shop in Shanghai; said he thought the illustrator might like to have it. His reason for bringing the book to Mr. Brown was that he had always liked his illustrations.

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But there was more to it than that. In the back of the book was pasted a label which read: "American Library association. Overseas Service." As further proof that this particular book had been through the war was a list of those who apparently had taken it from the library. They ranged all the way from corporals to colonels. And the pages had many names and comments scribbled on the margin. On one page had been penciled a quotation from "Alice in Wonderland." The name written below it was that of an Englishman. It was Rupert Brooke.

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Norman Dodd was at Yale with Sam Pryor, Jr. When he came out, he went into a bank and did very well there. But one day he decided that he did not wish to spend his life in the banking business. So he left, gathered five other Yale men and, merely dropping a letter from banking, went into the baking business. He makes some sort of cranberry health bread and is doing well again.

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Several big industrialists are interested in a research body, which they call the "National Committee for Rebuilding Purchasing Power and Prices." The research part of it consists in trying to find out how to do the rebuilding.

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Many do not appear to know that Franklin D. Roosevelt had a half brother. The President-Elect's mother was Sara Delano, but his father's first wife was Helen Astor. Their son was James Roosevelt Roosevelt, once secretary to the embassy in London, who died only a few years ago. He was known to his intimates as "Rosy" Roosevelt.

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One of the most beautiful moving pictures I ever saw is a series of storm shots on a square-rigger off Cape Horn. The man who took the first of these pictures was washed overboard and lost.

A charitable organization appealed to a New York woman for a donation of clothes. She went to a repository where her husband kept cherished relics of the past and selected a frock coat, which he had not worn for many years, a pair of pin stripe, lavender trousers, from the same epoch, and a tall, silk hat, which had seen better days. These she contributed to the cause and it was not long before she received a warm note of thanks.

"You will be happy to learn," it read, "that the clothes you so kindly sent us were the cause of our being able to get a man unemployed almost immediate work. He is now greatly encouraged, as he has secured a job driving a hearse."

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A rich man of Manhattan had a portrait of his wife, an exceedingly plain woman, done by a fashionable painter. It pleased her greatly, as the painter reduced her weight and vastly improved both her form and features. The Manhattanite showed the picture to a candid friend; asked his opinion; got it.

"Ah," said the friend, "very clever! But an appreciation, not a likeness."

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Spring finds Sinclair Lewis and his wife in Vienna, where Mr. Lewis is working on another book. It usually takes the author of "Main Street" two years to complete a novel.

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Frank Wykoff and Emmett Toppino, two of the greatest young sprinters in this age of speed, have been seeing New York together recently in the daytime and racing against each other on Saturday evenings. They met at the Olympic games and became fast friends.

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Unaffected by Pressure

Fish are able to live at the greatest known depths of the ocean. Deep-sea monsters are especially adapted to the enormous pressure encountered at the bottom of the ocean.

Trial and Error

Scientists can always feel sure of a job—discovering that what they had already discovered was a mistake.—Toledo Blade.

YOU-U-U ARE A SKUNK, AND A GREAT BIG CHEESE IN A HONK!
CRIMINALS IN GREENLAND ARE PUNISHED BY HAVING THE OFFENDED PARTY SING A SELF-COMPOSED SONG OF DERISION AT THEM IN A PUBLIC PLACE
ANDERSON
-AND, BELIEVE ME, THAT'S APLENTY
ONLY ABOUT 90 OF THE 11,000 MUSICAL TONES AUDIBLE TO THE HUMAN EAR ARE USED IN MUSIC
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Pay to The Guy on the other side $ 3.76/100
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GRAPHIC GOLF

KEEP CLUBHEAD AT RIGHT ANGLES TO LINE

Soft Wood Gives More Heat

Pound for pound, pine wood gives off more heat than hickory. There is a widespread belief that hickory or other heavy hardwood has a higher fuel value than pine. Recent tests show the fallacy of this notion, which probably has held sway since stoves first came into use. A cord of hickory wood, being heavier, may give off more heat than a cord of pine. But most resinous woods, like pine, have a higher heat production value per pound than nonresinous woods.—Rural New-Yorker.

Oyster Invasion From Japan

In Japan the art of oyster culture has been developed, it is said, way beyond any methods practiced in this country. The Japanese oysters are large and of fine quality, and they are likely to crowd out the native bivalve. In two years about 32,000 boxes of "seed" were shipped to the Pacific coast from Japan and planted. Each box contains from 5,000 to 20,000 baby oysters, and it is estimated that at least 150,000,000 "alien" oysters have been put in the waters of the West coast to compete with the native product and with native fishermen. When it is remembered that it takes only about 250 adult oysters to make a bushel, the "invasion" becomes something of a problem.

Dead Letters

The letters which are sent to the dead letter office in Washington are opened, and when addresses are found in them they are returned to the senders. When a check or money order is found, but still no sufficient address, the letter is returned to the post office of its origin, and inquiry is made at the bank or money order office. Parcel post matter or other mail of value which can neither be delivered nor returned, for want of sufficient address, is sold by the Post Office department. Other undelivered matter is finally destroyed.

Old Habit Justified

That old habit of a woman looking under the bed for a male intruder has produced results. When a woman returned to her rooms in Los Angeles and switched on her bedroom light she started to look under the bed. She saw a man's shoes and heard a muffled cough. Frightened but with presence of mind, she ran to another room and telephoned for police. Two policemen came and dragged the intruder from his hiding place.

Abbreviation of Name "John"

The "h" in the name John is a remnant of its ancient form, Johannes. This was first contracted to Johan; in the course of time the "a" was either dropped or an "o" substituted, making it John or Johon. Our forefathers wrote Jhon oftener than John, and the "h" in former days frequently assumed the form of "n." The name Jhon, contracted to Jho., became Jno. through a similarity between the "h" and "n." This form prevailed over the others and is now the recognized abbreviation.

Sugar Without Lumps

It has been recently discovered that addition of about 1 per cent of tricalcium phosphate to sugar will not only prevent it from forming in lumps as it readily does under certain atmospheric conditions, but adds a valuable health-giving property. The calcium is the element which supplies material for bone forming which is deficient in the modern flour milling process so it makes a very welcome addition to the diet.

Straight and Narrow Way

So live that you will never need to hire the kind of lawyer you wouldn't invite to dinner.—Los Angeles Times.

Battlefield of Roman Legions Is Unearthed

Berlin.—One of the oldest battlefields in history has been discovered at Xanten in the Rhineland.

The first camps of the Roman Legions, which were destroyed by warlike German tribes in the year of 70 A. D. have been excavated by members of the German voluntary labor service.

For years excavation work had been carried out at Xanten. It had to be stopped because of lack of funds. Now large numbers of members of the voluntary labor service have been sent to Xanten, where they succeeded in unearthing one of the most interesting relics of ancient times.

The camps were the important strongholds of the Fifth and Fifteenth Roman Legions. It was from here that the Roman soldiers started on their frequent expeditions to fight against the rebellious Germans. In the year 70 A. D. the Batavers, a warlike German tribe, destroyed the camps and killed most of the soldiers.

PAPA KNOWS—

"Pop, what is a loan?"

"Usually a case of give and forget."

©, 1933, Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

Takes at Least $1 to "Fix" Tag Here

Portersville, Calif.—Nobody escapes from Police Judge Eugene L. Scott's court without paying a fine. The judge never fines anyone less than $1, and when offenders do not have that amount he sentences them to spend one day in the police station. But the judge accepted 99 cents the other day. An offender, who pleaded guilty to a minor traffic violation, offered the sum. The judge took it, added one cent from his own pocket and wrote "closed" on the docket.

Voltages Necessary to Electrocute Criminals

Electrocution of criminals in various states often raises the question of how much electricity is required to snuff out life. According to one authority, it is impossible to say what voltages are safe, for so much depends upon the conditions existing at time of contact. One man was killed near Prague by coming into contact with a wire charged with a pressure of 95 volts, yet electricians have touched wires carrying current of such high pressures as 5,000 volts without experiencing any ill effects. Criminals are electrocuted in this country by making contact with a high voltage, 1,800 to 2,000, for three or four seconds, reduced to 500 volts until nearly a minute has elapsed, raised to high voltage for a second or two, again reduced to a low voltage until one minute elapses, when it is again raised to a high voltage for a few seconds and the contact broken. A second, or even a third, brief contact is sometimes made later, but there seems little doubt that circulation and respiration cease with the first contact. The general deduction has been drawn from experiments in electrocution work at Sing Sing that no human body can withstand an A. C. current of 1,500 volts, and 300-volt current has produced death, while for the continuous current it may be necessary to use 3,000 volts to produce death.

Good Post Office Pens

To stop complaints against poor pens at post offices, British postal officials have adopted one of stainless steel which just has been perfected after years of experiment.

Red Flag in History

In the Roman empire a red flag signified war, and when displayed on the capitol was a call for the assembling of the military for active service.

Not Uncommon Trouble

One trouble with the world is that there are too many people who imagine they are doing well when they are doing others.—Exchange.

Costly Decoration

More than $3,000,000 are spent annually for flags, banners and pennants for the purposes of decorating rooms, streets and parades.

Goose Feathers

A pillow 22 by 30 inches weighs about three pounds. It takes about 18 geese of average size to furnish three pounds of feathers.

ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS

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Latin-America Radio Artists Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaspar entertained the radio artists of the Latin American Broadcasting Company, of Oakland, at a dinner on Sunday at their home on Union City road.

The radio artists staged their performance on Sunday evening at the Alvarado Grammar school auditorium.

Miss Rose Gaspar headed the committee for arrangements, others were: Mr. A. E. Vargas, Mr. John Menezes, Mr. Sam Deasmore, Mrs. M. S. Cardoso, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goularte.

The performance proved very successful.

HOLY GHOST FESTIVAL

Among those who attended the 71st avenue Holy Ghost festival in which the Alvarado Queen, her attendants, baby queen, committees and drill teams took part were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Silveria, Mrs. Mary Costa, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roderick, Miss Elenore Roderick, Mr. and Mrs. Seraphine Davner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Antone Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tezand. Miss Bernice Tezand, Mrs. John Meneze and Miss Alice Meneze.

Mr. George Hellwig spent Sunday fishing at Sacramento.

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P. T. A. Card Party At Alvarado Successful

The Parent-Teachers' Association card party which was held on Thursday afternoon in the Alvarado Grammar school auditorium was enjoyed greatly by the many women who attended. At the close of the playing refreshments were served.

Miss Norris of Centerville received first prize and Miss G. Norris second. Mrs. Joe Maciel received consolation prize.

A number of other prizes were awarded.

ATTEND RECEPTION

Manuel Pinto, Mr. Peter Pinto and Mr. and Mrs. George Hocking motored to Martinez Saturday where they attended a reception in honor of Mr. Hocking's father, Mr. Frank Hocking, of Martinez, who was recently married to the former Mrs. Dorothy Shain, also of Martinez.

DRILL TEAM PRACTICE

The S. P. R. S. I drill team held practice on Friday evening in the I. D. E. S. hall in preparation of their drilling at the 71 avenue Holy Ghost festival on Sunday.

Alvarado Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Feirria and son of Oakland, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. John Vargas.

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Miss Bernice Boyd has been enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties at the Morton Salt works.

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Mrs. Mary Roderick, and Mrs. Anne Amaral motored to Oakland Friday and visited with Mrs. Clara Mendonca.

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Mr. T. Tayton spent Saturday with Mr. J. H. Ralph. Both motored to Brookdale in the evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Antone Rogers and Betty and Bonnie Foster and Stanley and Bobbie Rogers spent Sunday in Santa Cruz.

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Mr. and Mrs. Anker Christersen, Mrs. Lenore Silveria, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lee and daughter, Eileen Lee attended the Neighborhood Stores picnic at Neptune Beach on Sunday.

Ball Players Hurt In Alvarado-Hayward Game

The Alvarado Merchants' ball team met with defeat in their game with the Hayward Athletics Sunday by a score of 2 to 3.

Hubert Jacinto and Frank Vargas were seriously hurt during the game.

The Merchants' will meet the Decoto Reds at Decoto on Sunday July 30.

Alvarado Woman Is Honored On Birthday

Vera Degermark was honored on Friday afternoon with a birthday party at her home.

The afternoon was spent playing games. Refreshments were served.

Those who attended were, Mary Naharro, Gertrude Cassaras, Violet Pinto, Manuel Priego and Joseph Jacinto, Jr.

Mrs. Frances Luna, Mr. Albert Norris and Mary Hinkley attended the Postmasters' picnic in Crows canyon in Hayward on Sunday.

Apricot and Peach Beverages Perfected

Apricot and peach growers were last week pleased to hear that another use for their product has been perfected at the fruit products laboratory at the University of California. Apricot and peach beverages not only good to taste, but high in health qualities, may now be prepared by simple commercial process, according to Prof. W. V. Cruess, research chemist and professor of fruit products on th Berkeley campus.

It is said that the new beverages resemble orange juice in color and general appearance, and contain much of the yellow, finely divided flesh of the ripe fruit.

Fruit authorities feel that the new beverages should offer a profitable channel for the use of apricots and peaches.

Alviso Auditorium Bids Open Monday Morning

According to reports from the Alviso school board this week, bids on the new auditorium to be added to the Alviso school will be opened Monday. The new structure, costing $4000, will fill a need long felt by the school for a suitable place for the production of school plays and for graduation exercises.

Several Washington township contractors have already expressed their eagerness to place their bids for the new building.

Niles Park Will Be Completed Next Year

According to word from George C. Roeding, Jr., the garden strip along the highway just north of Niles will be completed as soon as the weather is propitious for planting. Although the season is too far advanced this year, the park will be a finished and attractive spot next summer.

The entire strip is to be planted to shrubs of carious kinds, and the border is to be extended from the subway to the nursery gates.

Maintenance of the park later will be the responsibility of the State Highways.

Farrington Dairy—this morning's milk, nothing put in, nothing taken out.—Jy13tfc.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Subject of sermon for Sunday, July 30: "'Love."

Sunday at 11 a. m.
Wednesday at 8 p. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Reading room is open before and after services.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bettencourt returned Monday from a nine-day stay at San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Crane, and Miss Martha Crane last week spent a few days at Monterey.

FIRE THREATENS REMAINS OF STUDIO

Huge excitiment reigned at the northern end of Niles last Thursday morning, when flames threatened the remains of the Essanay building. Sparks from an acetylene torch being used to cut metal girders, fell unnoticed into one of the old camera pits sunk below the level of the floor, in which lay quantities of inflamable debris. Flashing up suddenly, the blaze confronted Frank Rose, purhaser of the building, and sent him in into paroxysms of nervousness. Sending various spectators and workers for buckets, Rose had the flames practically under control before the fire engine and the gallery arrived.

The firemen made sure that the danger was past, and retired to their various officers and places of business.

According to Rose, some $300 worth of materials were still to be removed at the time of the blaze. Hence Rose's agitation.

Niles Library to Close For Vacation August 5

According to Mrs. Emma Murray, librarian, the Jane Clough Memorial Library at Niles will be closed from Saturday, August 5, until Friday, August 28, for the regular vacation period this year.

Mrs. Murray says that anyone wishing books for the vacation period may get them by signing extra cards.

Mrs. Murray intends to spend her vacation at St. Helena, in Napa county.

CURE FOR TOMATO PLANT DISEASES IS SOUGHT

Seeking a cure for tomato plant diseases that have materially reduced Alameda county tomato harvests during the last four years, County Farm Advisor T. O. Morrison is at the present time working in conjunction with plant patholigists of the University of California.

Stating that the 1933 crop, at a new low of 3000 acres, shows the need for diligent research, if the industry is to retain its place as one of the major vegetable crops of Alameda county, Morrison gave figures indicating the steady fall of tomato acreage since 1928.

Two virus diseases, and the method in which they are transmitted are new being studied at the university laboratories. Tests and examinations on tomoto vines afflicted with tomato streak and tomato yellow, Morrison said, are being carried on by Dr. Max Gardner and James Whipple, research professors.

Growers of Alameda county have sustained an estimated annual loss of several thousand dollars because of these two diseases.

Included in the present observations, is a plant disease of the fungus class, called verticilum. This disease not only attacks tomatoes, but berry crops and apricots as well.

The tomato raising industry, due to plant diseases, ruinously low prices and starved soil conditions in some localities, have reached a point when some restorative measurers must be taken according to growers.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferry, Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Roche, of Berkeley, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrade, of Pleasanton, spent Sunday on the beach, and visiting friends at Half Moon Bay.

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Ray Peterson Announces Start of "Special" Days

Ray Peterson, proprietor of the Winchester Hardware store at Niles, announced this week that he intends to have a "special" day each week on which to offer first class hardware and implements at reduced prices. Peterson intends to switch his sales emphasis each week to different lines of goods. This week he is offering paints, kitchen utensils and garden tools at prices that are bound to be attractive to the home renovator, the housewife and the gardener.

Mrs. Frank Alaimo is staying with her father at Inglewood, Colorado. She will remain with him until he recovers from a recent illness.

GRASS FIRES KEEP DECOTO FIREMEN HOPPING SUNDAY

Decoto's firemen, even after their strenuous time last week, were given no rest Sunday, when two grass fires dragged them from their peaceful Saturday pursuits.

Called first at about 1:30 p. m., the firefighters met and conquered a small but belligerent grass blaze at the corner of H and Ninth streets. Again at 4:30, the wail of the siren summoned the now somewhat over-worked fire laddies to another grass fire west of the town. Both blazes were extinguished in jig time.

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Gregory Hotel, Centerville — Phone 157
De Luxe Barber Shop, Niles — Phone 62

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IN ANSWER TO A LADY'S LETTER

A lady writes to say that she does not understand why an 8-cylinder car does not cost more to run than a car with fewer cylinders. She refers to my statement that our Ford V-8 develops more power on a gallon of gas than any car we have made.

The use of 8-cylinders does not mean the addition of two or four extra fuel consumers. It is not, for example, a 4-cylinder engine multiplied by two. Our 8-cylinder engine takes the fuel supply of an ordinary 4-cylinder engine and divides it eight ways. And why?

By reducing four larger explosions into eight smaller ones, we get engine smoothness and quietness. Eight-cylinders indicate the way the gas is used, not the amount. It is just the difference between going upstairs in four long jumps or in eight ordinary steps.

Two things use up gas—bad engine design and useless car weight. Besides having an engine that gets a high percentage of power out of the fuel, the Ford V-8 has a light, strong body and chassis so that no power is wasted in moving excess weight.

The only extravagance about the new Ford V-8 engine is in the building of it. The extravagance is ours—the economy is yours.

The whole question of car economy needs clearing up. An economical car gives economy all round. Price, operation, upkeep, all play their part. If what you save on gas you lose elsewhere, that is not economy.

As to upkeep, our dealers say that in recent years the improved quality of Ford cars has cut down their repair business 50 per cent.

As to price with quality,—judge for yourself.

As to economy, here is the record of a stock car three weeks out of shop in Oklahoma:

On a run of 10,054 miles at the rate of 1,000 miles a day—the Ford V-8 gave 18.8 miles per gallon of gas. Not a drop of water was added to the radiator. The oil was changed once in 1,000 miles.

That should answer a lot of questions.

July 24th, 1933

Henry Ford

CENTERVILLE REGISTER

CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

July 27—Installation of officers, Parish Hall, 8:00 p. m.
Aug. 8—N. S. G. W. installation of officers, Centerville, 8:00 p. m.

LAMBRECHT OUTFIT BOWS TO FORDS 15-4 SUNDAY

All hitting the ball like the big leaguers they are, the Hodgkins Fords, Sunday won over the Lambrecht Company team, of Oakland, by a tally of 15 to 4.

Instrumental in the win, as usual, was the pitching of Spud Degermark, that pillar of strength, who struck out twelve of the opponents and gave free trips to only three. In addition to his effective work on the mound, Spud rapped the seed for two doubles in four tries.

Perry led the Ford hitters with three for four. Lebon got two for two and made three runs and Amaral got two hits in two attempts and scored two runs. Jacinto also drew two bingles in two trips and scored one run.

Mackey and Fontes each pounded the apple over the wall for home runs.

The most sensationel play of the day was when Ken Ferry raced in from deep center and cut off a clean hit that should have scored the man from second. It didn't, thanks to Ferry's arm. His throw to the home plate made Degermark duck, and the runner was out by fifteen feet. Rose, Ford second baseman, played the game on his nerve after he had been struck in the face with a fast bad hop in infield practice before the game.

FORDS	AB	R	H
Rose, 2 b.	5	1	1
Mackey, 1 b.	6	2	2
Ferry, cf	5	2	2
Fontes, 3b	5	1	1
Lebon, ss	2	3	2
Mackenzie, rf	4	0	1
Amaral, rf	2	2	2
Perry, lf	4	1	3
Jacinto, c	2	1	2
Degermark, p	4	2	2
	49	15	18

LAMBRECHTS	AB	R	H
Watkins, 3b	5	0	0
Ferreir, cf	5	0	0
Tochini, 2b	5	2	2
Klobas, c	5	2	5
Muzzi, rf	5	0	1
Bandrucci, 1b	4	0	0
Rattaro, ss	5	0	1
Bartoli, lf	3	0	3
Gordon, p	4	0	1
	41	4	13

Sunday the Fords will tangle with the Macy Movers, a tough Oakland aggregation, and runners up in the division championship.

In two week the Fords will play the Bercovitch Co., class champions.

CENTERVILLE SHOP GETS FLORAL JOB AT ORPHEUM

Proving that business from the big cities is beginningg to filter into the areas surrounding them, Harry J. Elsey, proprietor of the Elsey Floral Shop at Centerville announced early this week that his establishment had received the coveted contract of the Orpheum theater at Oakland for the designing and installing of floral decorations during the coming year.

According to Elsey, the job undertaken is by no means a small one, since it necessitates a semi-weekly change of flowers. Elsey will have charge of the arrangement of pieces at the stage sides and in the foyer.

Co-operating in the design of original arrangements, Elsey and Jack Mapes, designer, have planned some unique layouts for the season. Each consecutive week will see a new and appropriate design formed by newly cut flowers.

GRASS FIRE EXTINGUISHED

A sharp alarm Sunday summoned the Centerville fire department to a grass blaze west of the town on Central avenue. Endangering several small buildings and a fence, the blaze was quickly brought under control and extinquished.

SURPRISE HOUSEWARMING

The Evening Card Club surprised Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Moore, of Niles, Monday night, with an impromptu housewarming. The members of the club presented the Moores with an ornamental fire screen. The evening was spent playing bridge.

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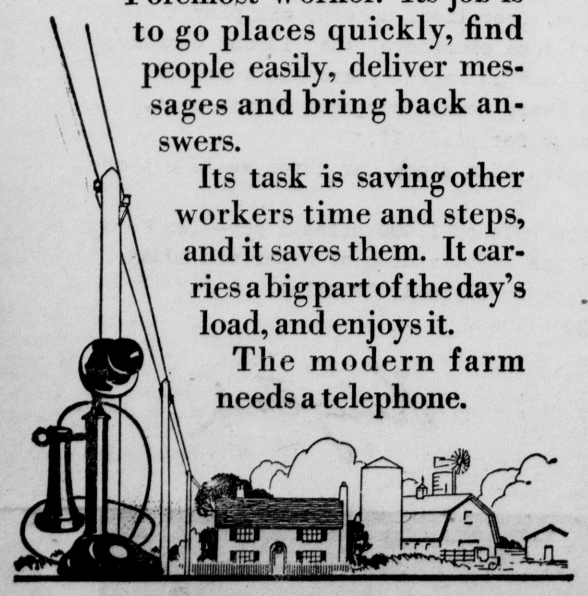

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Centerville Personal Items

Manuel V. Brown, energetic center fielder for the Centerville Merchant team, this week is sporting a shiny new Ford coupe.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. McKenzie visited in Richmond last Sunday evening.

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Arthur Bliss, scout for the Canadian league, was at the Hodgkins Ford vs. Lambecht game Sunday. It is rumored that he has his eye on several Ford players.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Medruga returned to Centerville Tuesday after a week's stay at Lake Tahoe.

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Glenn Hodges, of Los Angeles, nephew of E. B. Hodges, is spending a couple of weeks at the Hodges' home in Centerville.

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Mrs. George Coit returned this week from a week's stay with her sister at Oroville.

Clarence Secada, employee of the Bank of America at Centerville, left work for his vacation Wednesday.

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Charles Guerazzi has returned from a short vacation spent on the Klammath river. He reports extreme heat and fine fishing.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Santos returned Monday night from a two week's trip to Chicago. The Santos enjoyed the Century of Progress Exposition immensely.

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Miss Etta Graham, of Berkeley, last Sunday visited her aunt, Mrs. Gregory, of Centerville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dusterberry and Miss E. Dusterberry, M. P. Mathiesen, Mr. and Mrs. George Mathiesen. Mrs. Mabel Fitzgerald and Mrs. Bowdutch, spent the day at La Honda Tuesday.

Advertising pays—if done right.

K. C. COUNCIL TO SEAT OFFICERS TONIGHT

New officers of the Centerville Knights of Columbus, elected late last month will be installed tonight at ceremonies in the Parish hall. The installing officer will be the recently elected district deputy Grand Knight, Manuel F. Soares, who last night installed the new officers of the Hayward council. Following the installation refreshments will be served.

Following is the list of officers to be seated this evening:

Grand Knight, Ernest Pimentel; deputy grand knight, L. Mayer; warden, George Kommes; recorder, John Vasconcellos, treasurer, George Coit; financial secretary, George S. Roderick; inside guard, Joe Duarte; outside guard, Angelo Ferarras; trustees, A. P. Rose, Jr.; Frank Souza and Ed. King; advocate, W. J. Furtado, Sr.

Register for fine job printing.

K. C. Councils Plan Districts Communion

Tentative plans are being made at the present time for the Knight's of Columbus, ninth and tenth districts, communion at the St. Josephs' Church in Alameda sometime early in September.

According to Ernest Pimentel, Grand Knight elect of the Centervill council, one of the Arch Bishops will officiate at the ceremonies, at which there is expected to be some 1000 members of the ninth and tenth district councils.

Centerville Council At Hayward Installation

Manuel F. Soares, newly elected deputy Grand Knight, Wednesday night installed new officers of the Hayward Council Knights of Columbus, at ceremonies in the Veterans' Memorial building.

The following members of the Centerville council attended the installation: M. W. Lewis, A. P. Rose, Leon Mendonca, John Dos Santos, Jr., John Dos Santos, Sr., John Vierra, Ernest Pimentel, John Vasconcellos and Joe Fontes.

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Music School to Have Recital In October

Music students of the Oliver Campos School of Music are this week beginning strenuous practice in preparation for the annual recital to be given in October at the Washington Union High school auditorium.

The program will consist of classical, semi-classical and popular renditions by approximately fifty pupils.

Campos is working on an unique plan for the recital this year. He intends to work in singing and dancing, thus making the evening's program a coordinated series of acts.

AMATEUR POTTER ATTRACTS WIDE ATTENTION

Brought to the attention of the public through the comment of tourists who have viewed her work, Marie LePleux, of Scott's Corners, is attaining considerable renown as a designer of original pottery.

Designing and molding her own pieces, Miss LePleux has turned out many excellent examples of ware made without the use of a potter's wheel. She employs the method of pressing out the clay that was common among the Indians of the San Francisco Bay region, in that she molds her designs from a single lump of clay. It was the practice elsewhere to build up the piece of "coiling," which means that consecutive rings of clay were rolled out and piled one upon the other.

While some of Miss LePleux's work is based on Indian designs, it is for the most part original in motif. One thing in particular that has impressed those interested in pottery designing, is the novel way in which she adds ornaments to her work in the form of flower designs, sheep, deer and cattle heads, and other suitable applications.

For the most part, colors, other than red of the burned clay, are applied by means of a brush after the piece is completed.

Miss LePleux has many examples of her work on display at her service station at Scott's Corners, near Sunol. She is the daughter of Anne Py, well known by all old-timers in Northern California.

-- Local News Briefs --

Mrs. Joe Russo underwent an operation at the San Jose Hospital Monday morning. She is reported as doing well.

Frank Alaimo spent Sunday with his bother in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Silveria and Mrs. R. Reposo attended a vaudeville performance in Oakland Sunday evening.

Miss Gladys Rose last Wednesday returned from a week's trip to Yosemite, Nevada and Oregon. She was accompanied by four guests, two of whom returned with her. Two have returned to Cheyenne, Wyoming. Miss Rose states that the scenery along the Redwood highway is beautiful this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Alberg returned Saturday from a two weeks' vacation at Yosemite valley. Neal Alberg, who had been conducting the business for two weeks, has returned to his home in Oakland.

For guaranteed radio repairs and service, phone Eugene E. Silva, Newark 8.—J8-29c

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bergstrom visited friends in Niles Monday.

Raymond Duarte has recently purchased a good used car.

Mrs. Grace Locker, of Auburn, spent the week-end with her father, P. A. Ellis.

Mrs. Ed. Leal and her mother, Mrs. DeGulio, left Sunday for a week's vacation at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry, of Niles, are being congratulated this week on the arrival of a baby boy, born last week.

Mrs. C. Hatch, Sr., and Mrs. E. Dyer, of Niles, attended a parent-teachers' card party given last Thursday at the Alvarado Grammar school.

MORGAN'S TABERTONE TABLETS for stomach ills are sold by Hayward Drug Co., 950 B St. Ju27-c

Mrs. Robert Burdette, of Los Angeles, Mrs. W. H. Ford and Mrs. F. O. Bunting were luncheon guests of Mrs. J. E. Thane Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Tillsworth this week entertained several of her sorority sisters. Miss Ellsworth is a member of the University of California Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta.

Mrs. John L. Beard, of San Franscico, Mrs. Thomas Hurley, of Berkeley, and Mrs. J. E. Thane were entertained this week by Mrs. F. O. Bunting.

Mrs. W. H. Ford entertained several guests this week.

P. A. Ellis, who has been seriously ill for some time, is well enough to see his friends again.

LAST VESTIGES OF ESSANAY STUDIO REMOVED

After progressing through all the stages of material dissolution produced by the wrecking bar, the old Essanay Studio has gone to that sad limbo reserved for the shades of old, unused things. A month ago, still in all of its dusty silence, the old building first felt the tearing of the wrecker's pick-ax, and since that day, slowly but surely, its form has changed.

At first, when the beams were exposed, the casual wayfarer might have remarked on the new building being erected in Niles, but a more careful scrutiny would have shown that this was death, not birth. At one time during its destruction, when the outer sheeting had been torn away, the historical place took on an unearthly essence at night; standing silently upright, like some obscure prehistoric skeleton.

Later, when all but the metal beams and skylights had been removed, the remains took on a joval appearance, similar to some of the architectual motifs employed at the Chicago fair. When the last metal beam had been losened, and the final crash echoed away, the skyline to the west rose into prominence. The row of similar roofs, similar chimneys, an occasional tree, and cupolas of the NilesGrammar school and American Legion Memorial building sprang into view.

Frank Rose, purchaser and wrecker of the Essanay building kept faithfully to his initial plan of clearing the lot in thirty working days. According to Rose, the most difficult part of the job was the removal of the roof. Rose estimated that he removed 70,000 board feet of lumber from the building.

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Apples Gravensteins. 4 lbs 15c
Bananas 4 pounds 15c
Peaches Hale's. Basket 15c
Cantaloupes 36 Jumbos. 3 for 10c
Beans Kentucky Wonder. 2 lbs. 5c
Tomatoes 3 pounds 10c

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VEAL ROAST, Shoulder Cuts, lb 13c
T-BONE STEAKS, lb 25c
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Mission San Jose

BY EVA ROGERS

MISSION FIREMEN WIN OVER REDS 11-6 SUNDAY

The Mission San Jose Firemen trimmed the Irvington Reds 11 to 6 Sunday at Mission.

Mission did its scoring in first, fourth, seventh and eighth innings. Irvington scored in the first, third, fifth, sixth and eighth innings.

B. Telles, the winning pitcher for Mission, pitched four and two-thirds innings, allowing six hits, four runs, struck out four men and walked one. Silveria, replacing Telles, struck out eight men, walked and binged one, allowed two hits and two runs.

DeSelle for Irvington struck out three men, walked four and allowed sixteen hits. The hitting stars for Mission were Goularte and B. Telles, two singles and a double. Silveria singled three times, while Steinmitz doubled and singled. L. Telles came through with a triple. Rogers, Worth, R. Biggini and Fontes collected doubles for the day.

For Irvington, Marshall hit a homer and singled. Blacow tripled and singled, with DeSelle following in close with a triple and Amyx's double.

Blacow, Amyx and Bettencourt starred for Irvington, and Goularte Silveria and Fontes for Mission.

Mission's double play was from L. Telles to Silveria to Fontes.

Box score follows:

Mission

	A.B.	R.	H.
R. Goularte, 3rd.b	5	1	3
L. Silveria, 2nd.b	4	1	3
E. Rogers, c.f.-r.f.	4	0	1
B. Telles, p.-2nd.b	5	2	3
A. Worth, r.f.-c.f.	5	2	1
R. Boggini, c.	5	1	1
T. Fontes, 1st.b	3	3	1
F. Steinmitz, l.f.-f.	5	1	2
L. Telles, s.s.	5	0	1
	41	11	16

Irvington

	A.B.	R.	H.
F. Pura, c.f.	5	0	0
J. Blacow, s.s.	5	2	2
H. Marshall, r.f.	4	1	2
W. Bettencourt, 1st.b	4	0	1
E. Rose, 3rd.b	3	2	1
C. DeSelle, p.	4	0	1
B. Amyx, 2nd.b	4	0	1
C. Pine, c.	3	1	0
T. Amaral, l.f.	4	0	0
	36	6	8

Frank Vargas attended his brother's wedding at Milpitas Sunday.

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Mrs. H. Justus and her three children, Elaine, Ruth and Bud, are spending the week with relatives at Long Beach.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Maderios and daughter, Pauline, of Livermore, visited in Mission Sunday.

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Mission S. P. R. S. I. girls' drill team participated in the parade at Oakland Sunday. The girls have completed a very successful season of drilling.

Mrs. M. Lemos and daughter, Hazel, Florence and John Maera, and Frank Vargas attended a theater party at San Jose Friday.

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Ethel Rogers is spending a few weeks with Mrs. F. Shideler, of Sebastapol.

NILES NIMROD HAS MENAGERIE IN BACK YARD

Proof that natural fauna still scampers about in the hills east of Niles may be had by interviewing Norman Rose, Niles hunter, who has accumulated the makings of a fine zoo in his back yard in Morrison canyon.

Arising early each Sunday morning Rose fares forth in quest of "critters" native to the hilly sections. So far he has captured 2 coons, 4 'possums and 4 wildcat cubs. All are to be seen peering fro mtheir roomy cages on Rose's place.

Rose reports that a mountain lion of no mean proportions one day scuttled over the horizon before him, but subsequent hunts have failed to flush it, although tracks have been seen often.

Rose does not shoot the beasts he surprises, but trarks them to their lairs where he siezes them.

"ADORABLE" WITH JANET GAYNOR TO PLAY AT HAYWARD

Heading the bill at the Hayward theater tonight and tomorrow night, will be the famous Peggy Hopkins Joyce, and the equally famous W. C. Fields in "International House." A superlative cast supports them.

Buck Jones, with six-guns and ponies, heads the bill for Saturday in "Sundown Rider." As an added attraction, the gusty Marjorie Rambeau heads the cast in "Strict ly Personal."

Sunday and Monday, the droll Lee Tracy is slated in "The Nuisance," a comedy. On the same program will be the ever-popular Niel Hamilton in "The Silk Express."

On Tuesday the attraction will be the "Mind Reader" with Constance Cummings and William Warren. Tuesday night is glassware night.

Janet Gaynor, the nation's sweetheart, heads the cast in "Adorable," slated for Wednesday and Thursday. She is supported by the French star, Henry Garet. "Adorable" is one of the pieeures of the year that should be seen.

Alfred King, Ed. Martin and Miss Adelaide Martin attended a theater in Oakland Sunday night.

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Farmers Hear Talk On Motors

A large number of farmers from the Pleasanton and Sunol districts attended the Pleasanton-Livermore Farm Bureau meeting held at a Livermore hotel recently.

John Busch, district bureau president, was chairman of the evening, and introduced J. Chambers, of San Leandro, who was he speaker of the evening.

He gave a detailed talk on the new Deisel oil engins. Uses found for this motor are to generate elctricity, pump watr, and run tractors. Economy of operation is the biggest argument in favor of the new engines.

Pleasanton Court Has Brief Session

Only a small amount was collected by Judge Charles A. Gale in the Pleasanton justice court last Tuesday in traffic fines.

Judge Gale continued two cases for another week and issued two warrants for the arrest of violators who failed to appear.

The operators license of Horace Cummings, of Pasadena was suspened for ninety days when he pleaded guilty to a traffic violation.

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PLEASANTON GOLD STAR MOTHER RETURNS

Mrs. J. Perry, Pleasanton's only gold star mother, returned home last Thursday from her trip to France to visit her son's grave.

Mrs. Perry reports having had a very enjoyable trip. She has given many interesting accounts of her trip, from the time she started until her return. She returned with many interesting pictures.

On the homeward journey she visited relatives in Massachusets and stopped in Hollywood where she visited her daughter, Theressa Perry, who is on the stage there.

Fire Burns Grain Near Pleasanton

A fierce fire in the grain field belonging to Manuel Paulo, near Santa Rita, Saturday, called the Pleasanton firemen to duty.

It was said that the fire started in a field across the road where the owner was burning grass. A stiff breeze was said to have carried sparks into the grain field. The fire was extinguished by the firemen before any great damage was done.

Poster printing at Register.

SUNOL
-- DEPARTMENT --

Mr. T. P. Hogan and Mr. Ed Kelly, of Oakland, are spending a few days at the Kelly cottage.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Vandervoort, of Palo Alto, were callers in Sunol Sunday.

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Mrs. M. Barrett and daughter, of Long Beach, visited Mrs. A. C. Day Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bollock motored to Oakland Wednesday evening where they attended a lodge meeting.

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The Wisely family have moved to the cottage on Carr's ranch.

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Miss Elizabeth Day is spending a week in Jackson visiting Miss Geraldine Ghiardi.

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The Henry WiWeking family entertained a number of guests from Oakland Tuesday at a picnic.

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Mrs. V. Buttner, Mrs. L. Bonner, Miss Mary Buttner and Frtnces Buttner spent Tuesday in Paradise Park, Santa Cruz.

BETROTHAL TOLD AT BRIDGE TEA SATURDAY

At a bridge tea given at the Hotel Mark Hopkins, Miss Elizabeth Day announced her engagement to Tlwood Johnson, of San Francisco, on Saturday afternoon.

Among those present were: Mrs. A. C. Day, of Sunol; Charlotte Trimmingham, of Pleasanton; and Mildred Anderson, of Dublin.

The young couple plan to be married in the early fall.

Mrs. Given has been ill for a few days, but is recovering.

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Francee Buttner will visit this week with Dorothy Collin.

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Murl Hurley is spending a few weeks in Oakland visiting friends.

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Mr. E. G. Chapman and Mrs. E. C. Smith, of Weaverville, spent Monnay with Mrs. Chapman's aunt, Mrs. Gwen.

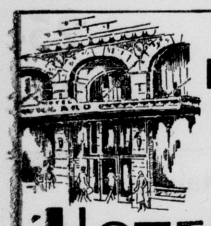
Farm Home Women Hold Meeting at Pleasanton

About twenty five women attended the meeting of the Farm Home department held at McKinley park last Thursday, according to Miss Pauline Kruse, chairman.

The women discussed redecorating the kitchen. Mrs. Holman, of Hayward, farm home demonstration agent, lead the discussion and showed various kitchen plans.

Plans were made for a lawn card party to be given at the residence of Mrs. Henry Kruse in Pleasanton on August 10. The public is invited to attend.

Proceeds from this party will be used to purchase and install a drinking fountain at McKinley park. Mrs. Charles Fiorio is chairman of the committee on arrangements, and is being assisted by the Mesdames Doucette, Fleming, Nielsen and Helen Busch.



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Township Register

Warm Springs
By IRMA LEAL

Manued Briar, William Duarte, and Joe Leal and son motored to Half Moon Bay Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Antone Vargas are the proud parents of a baby boy, Maurice Anthony Vargas.

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Mrs. Manuel Laurence and son Caton, motored to Patterson Sunday to return Miss Katherine Corria to her home. Miss Corria has been visiting here for the last two weeks.

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Mrs. Anna Ramos and Kenneth Faria attended the rodeo at Salinas Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Bettencourt, of Irvington, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leal and son motored to Oakland Sunday. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Garcia and Mr. and Mrs. E. Silva.

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Many people of Warm Springs attended the firemen's ball at Newark Saturday night.

Vernon Vargas, of Decoto, is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Duarte.

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Mr. and Mrs. Foster, of Newark, and Mr. and Mrs. Mello, of San Francisco, and Mrs. Brown, of Oakland, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Caton Laurence.

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Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Briar attended a show in San Jose Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Souza, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Vargas, Tony Brazil and Beatrice Vargas motored to Half Moon Bay Thursday.

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Joseph S. Brown, F. F. Vargas, Sr., F. F. Vargas, Jr., Joe B. Santos and Joe C. Lawrence attended an I. D. E. S. meeting at Santa Cruz Saturday night.

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Harold Praeder, of San Gregorio, is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Azeveda, of Warm Springs.

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Mrs. J. Laurence visited in San Jose Sunday.

Irvington Register
By ANNA BETTENCOURT

PIONEER RESIDENT OF IRVINGTON SUMMONED

Having lived in Irvington for the greater part of her life, Mrs. Rebecca Jessen, aged 84, was summoned quietly by death last Wednesday morning as she lay sleeping.

A native of Germany, Mrs. Jessen came to Irvington as a girl of 10 years, and since that time has resided here. She was well known in Southern Alameda county as one of the pioneers of this area. She was widowed by the death of her husband in 1900.

Mrs. Jessen is survived by five daughters and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the community church. Interment was in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

Miss Rilda Francis spent last week in Hollister.

C. M. Cole, of Berkeley, is spending the week at the Pond residence.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Power and family spent last week at Santa Cruz.

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Mrs. Florence Collanon, of San Francisco, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Francis Robinson.

MRS. ROSE MEZZA IS GIVEN HOUSE WARMING

Mrs. Rose Mezza, of Pleasanton, was given a house warming party at her new home on First street, last Tuesday week when a number of friends gathered and surprised her. They presented her with a lovely green table cloth, after which they enjoyed playing dutch whist. Light refreshments brought the evening to a close.

Those winning honors in whist were Evelyn Bell and Elsie Andrade.

The honored guest was formerly of this city, but several years ago moved to Niles where she resided until a few weeks ago. The Mezza amily have just moved into a new stucco home on First street.

Among those who made up the surprise party were the Mesdames Lloyd Perry, Claire Guilianeli, and Mayme Guilianelli, and Bertha Powers, Anita Sanders, Bernice Lewis, Elsie Andrade and Evelyn Bell.

Native Daughters Listen to Report

At a meeting held last week at the Odd Fellows' hall, members of the Pleasanton Native Daughters listened to an interesting report of the state convention held in Oakland recently, by Mrs. Julia Crommie, president of the parlor.

She gave a detailed report of the work discussed at the convention.

Following the business meeting refreshments were served.

Pleasanton Boy Is Married in Reno

Louis Pimentel, Jr., son of Louis Pimentel Sr., of Pleasanton, was united in marriage to Miss Gladys Hansen of Livermore, at ceremonies performed is Reno over the week-end.

The young couple will make their home in Pleasanton. Pimentel is employed at the Veteran's hospital in Livermore.

Editorial Comment
NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

start at the root of the evil. Ninety per cent of these cases find inception in sexual disease. Yet the narrow-minded moralists cry out in protest when it is proposed to educate youth along this line. "It is to make vice easier, more alluring," is the specious argument advanced.

A few states have enacted legislation making a physicial examination necessary, and a clean bill of health mandatory, upon applicants for marriage licenses. What ever became of the legislation no one knows. It is to be sure a dead letter upon the statute books.

In a few places, mostly in the larger cities, advanced students in the schools are taught a limited amount about sex matters, but everywhere this advanced step is taken, misguided and impracticable moralists raise a protest loud and continuous. Usually they succeed in discontinuing the subject on the grounds that too much knowledge will lead the youth to evil practices.

It is a matter that must eventually be approached in an inelligent manner free from sentimentality. Protect those yet unborn, is practicable, sensible, possible. The living we must suffer with, not by, even though they be "husks" physically or imbeciles mentally. The world is rich enough to feed, clothe and nurse these unfortunate ones who are born into the world to suffer. These poor souls—and they have souls, regardless of the condition of their bodies or minds—had no choice in the matter of their birth. They were the fruits of "love." Very well, let those responsible for their lives, see them through "this vale of tears." If not able to, then society must take up the burden.

Legalized murder is not yet ready to take the stage.

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Modesto Man Drops Dead Near Sunol

Believed to have died from a heart attack, Dr. B. F. Surrhyne, of Modesto, dropped dead behind a barn near the Py service station about one mile from Sunol on the Sunol-Mission San Jose highway, last Wednesday afternoon.

The car Surrhyne was driving stalled, and was being towed to a garage. The tow rope broke, and the doctor got out of his car to look for a piece of wire to mend the rope. Just as he got to the rear of the barn he seemed to drop to the ground, and was dead by the time those witnessing the tragedy could reach him.

Deputy Coroner Charles Graham was called and he removed the body to Pleasanton after which relatives removed it to Modesto.

PLEASANTON LODGE INSTALLS NEW OFFICE HEADS

Newly elected officers of the I. D. E. S. lodge were installed at a meeting held in the lodge hall lase week.

John Amarantes, of Livermore, district deputy, was installing officer. The installation was witnessed by a large crowd from the nearby towns. Refreshments followed the exercises.

The new officers installed will serve for the ensuing term of one year. They are F. P. Terra, president; Frank L Vargas, past president; Joseph Cunha, vice president; John Amaral, secretary; Joseph Bairos, treasurer; Manuel Soito, master of ceremonies; Edwin Freitas, marshal; John Vargas, inside sentinel; Andrew Cintrone, outside sentinel; Andrew Bettencourt, Frank Vargas, Manuel Semas, Frank R. Vargas, and Manuel Terra, directors.

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LEGAL NOTICES

No. 56653 Dept. 4

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, AUGUST MAY, executor of the last will and testament of LIZZIE A. BARRY, sometimes known as Elizabeth Ann Barry and as Elizabeth A. Barry, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the office of Fred B. Mellmann, Esq., Attorney at Law, 1704 Tribune Tower, Oakland, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

AUGUST MAY,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the above named Decedent.

Dated at Oakland, Caliornia, June 30, 1933. Jy6;A4

FRED B. MELLMANN,
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England's First Postal Service Started in 1522

In England there were private posts in the reign of Edward III. Later the name of Sir Brian Tuke, designated "Magister Nunciorum Cursorum sive Postarum," is mentioned and those of Sir William Paget, John Mason and Thomas Randolph occur in connection with postal business. The last of these worthies was known, in 1581, as chief postmaster for England. The office of postmaster for foreign parts was created by James I in 1619 and Matthew de Quester was appointed to the position. The first regular system of internal posts was proclaimed by Charles I in 1635. He commanded that there be "a running post or two, to run night and day between Edinburgh and London, to go thither and come back in six days." In 1644, Edmund Prideaux, a member of the house of commons, was appointed master of the posts, and first established a weekly conveyance of letters into all portions of the nation. A penny post was organized in London and vicinity in 1681, by Robert Murray. Its revenues were annexed to the crown in 1690. A general post for the British colonies was in effect by 1710.

Roger I, count of Thurn, Taxis, and Valsassina, in the second half of the Fifteenth century established a postal system in the Tyrol between Germany and Italy. His son set up another from Brussels to Vienna in 1516 at the request of Emperor Maximillian I. There was a post between Vienna and Nuremberg in 1522, and Charles V, anxious to have news as speedily as possible from distant portions of his states, ordered a permanent riding post from the Netherlands through Liege, Treves, Spire and Rheinhausen, through Wurttemburg, Augsburg and Tyrol to Italy.

Postage Stamps Had to Be Cut or Torn Apart

In the early days of postage stamps no provision was made for separating the individual stamps and it was necessary to cut them as needed. Steps were soon taken to improve this condition and a system of perforating stamps was patented by Henry Archer. Great Britain purchased this patent, and after some improvements began issuing perforated stamps in 1854.

Within a few years most of the larger countries had bought machines or had built them along similar ideas.

Machines for perforating stamps are built on one of two mechanical principles, either operating in a rotary manner with the perforating pins arranged on the rim of a small wheel, or in a vertical direction with the pins on a bar like the teeth of a comb. Either type may be built to perforate single rows of stamps or entire sheets, at one operation.—Chicago Tribune.

Animals on Ocean Voyage

Packing a wild beast for an ocean voyage is no simple matter. The crates must be strong enough to circumvent the animal's ingenious attempts at escape; they must be fitted with doors for the provision of food and cleaning purposes, and ventilation must be provided. The ideal box enables the traveler to stand up or lie down, but the ideal box for a giraffe is a problem. To get Jumbo on board, he is usually hoisted by a canvas sling. Slightly smaller animals travel by crane. Alligators arrive in coffin-like boxes; snakes are comfortably ensconced in tin boxes with glass lids. Since pigmy hippos are always in need of a bath, one of these animals recently traveled from Africa to England in a tank of galvanized iron.—Tit-Bits Magazine.

Three Brass Balls

Originally three brass balls were the symbol of the great Lombard family of the Medici, and came to their present use because the Lombards were the first recognized money lenders in England. The balls are said to have originally represented three gilded pills, in token of medicine, the early profession of the Medici. Another story is that an early Medici killed a giant, one Mugello and adopted the three balls of his victim's mace as his own crest.—Answers Magazine.

Horsehair Snakes

The American Nature association says there is no foundation for the myth that a horsehair put into water will turn into a snake. The origin of this belief is thought to be the actual existence of a hairworm or threadworm, which is of the thickness and general appearance of a horsehair. These creatures are hatched from eggs, however, and have lives similar to other worm-like animals. — Pathfinder Magazine.

Hard Fact

A headline says, "Man Carries Piece of Copper in His Head 11 Years." Huh, that's nothing! We know of many people who go through life carrying a piece of ivory for a head.

THEN IT'S ALL SET FOR THE TWENTY-FIRST, EH?
ABSOLUTELY, GENTLEMEN! ABSOLUTELY!!
YESSIR! TWO WEEKS FISHIN' WILL DO ME A WORLD OF GOOD!
LISTEN, HONEY, I----
OH, JAY! I'VE GOT THE MOST WONDERFUL NEWS! -MOTHER IS COMING THE TWENTY-FIRST -- FOR A TWO WEEKS VISIT!!
NOW, HOW TH' DICKENS AM I GONNA EXPLAIN THAT I WAS PLANNING ON A TWO WEEKS FISHIN' TRIP BEGINNING THE TWENTY-FIRST !?!
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. Bonat-Brown Corp.

Pleasanton Doctor Weds OaklandGirl

One of the prettiest social events of the summer was the wedding of Margaret Vivian Beck, of Oakland, to Dr. Herbert Eric Harms, son of Dr. E. H. Harms, of Pleasanton, which was solemnized Sunday, July 11, at the St. Paul's Episcopal church, with Reverned Penrose Hirst, officiating.

Miss Beck is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Devincenz, of Oakland. She was born and raised in Livermore and has many friends in this community.

Dr. Harms was born and raised in Pleasanton, and is a graduate of the University of California and of the University of Colorado Medical school. He is a member of the Phi Chi medical fraternity and of the Alpha Omega Alpha medical honorary society.

The bride wore a gown of white mousseline de soie with a white horse hair hat, and was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Devincenzi. She carried a beautiful bouquet of gardenias and lillies of the valley.

Miss Dorothy Devincenzi, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and was dressed in a long gown of yellow organy and carried a bouquet of talisman roses.

Dr. William Desch, of Denver, a school mate of Dr. Harms, acted as best man.

The bridal party marched into the church to the strains of a wedding march played by Miss Verna Loberk. Only immediate relatives of the young couple were present. Following the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served.

The young couple left for a short wedding trip and will make their future home in Denver. Dr. Harms has a scholarship in psychiatry and neurology and will be employed at the state hospital in Denver.

Pleasanton Woman Honored at Dinner

Mrs. R. Bell, of Pleasanton was the honored guest at a birthday dinner given by Mrs. James Costalupes of last week.

The table decorations were carried out in pink and green. A large bouquet of flowers formed the center piece of the table. Mrs. Bell received many gifts.

Among those present were Mrs. Louise Joseph, Lucille and George Costalupes Mr. and Mrs. James Costalupes Mr. and Mrs. R. Bell and daughfer, Evelyn.

Building Plans Are Delayed in Pleasanton

Building plans at the race track in Pleasanton received a temporary setback the latter part of last yeek when Mrs. J. F. O'Hara, one of the principal owners of the track pased to the Great Beyond.

Building plans however, will become actualities in the near future. Jack Adkins, race track manager, has been working quietly but efficiently and already has had many preliminary interviews with carpenters, painters and mechanics so that they will be on the job as soon as plans are completed.

That the owners are planning on building and developing the track can best be attested by the fact that one legitimate cash offer at an attractive figure was refused last week. The present owners realize full well the wonderful possibilities here, and plan to capitalize on their advantages.

A report that an option is held on the track, which has been current in Pleasanton for the past few weeks, is declared by the owners to be absolutely unfounded.

Mr. Adkins has expressed himself as being highly pleased with the cooperation which he has received from the townspeople and business men of Pleasanton, and stated that as soon as building activities do start, it will take a great deal of assistance from the people to house and feed the crew.

Horses are arriving daily at the track, and at present there are approximately one hundred at the track. Eastern horses are expected to arrive in the near future, and Mr. Adkins is making all haste before they get here.

4-H LEADERS HOLD MEETING AT HAYWARD

Plans for more and better club work to be done by the members of the Alameda county 4-H clubs were discussed at a county council meeting held by the club leaders at the P. E. Holman home in Hayward recently.

A pot luck supper proceeded the business meeting. The leaders finished up the business of the county summer camp held recently at Bjornsen's park and reported it a huge success.

Those who attended from Pleasanton were Mrs. A. B. Casterson, Mrs. B. F. Newton, Jack Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fiorio.

Pleasanton Men To Shoot at Rifle Range

In an attempt to even the score with the Legionaires, the rifle team of the Pleasanton Junior Chamber of Commerce has challenged the American Legion team to another shoot to be held at the range on Banke Brothers' ranch near Pleasanton on Sunday, July 30.

About a month ago a similar shoot was held, and won by the Legion boys. A dinner was the prize for the winners, and the same treat is offered the winners of Sunday's match. It looks like the Legion boys are about to get another free feed.

Those representing the civic body are Peter Christesen, Andy Jorgensen, Robert Cope, Peter Koopman and Hans Jensen. The Legionaires to oppose them are Commander Elsnab, Henry and Adolphe Banke, Roy Stevensen, and Henry Lanini.

The Juniors claim they have been practicing target shooting for the past several weeks, and the Legion boys claim that it takes a good many years of practice to beat them. A good time will be had by the boys, regardless of who wins.

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Kiln drying has all the good features of outdoor drying and is without detriment to the wood. A mild heat is used first, with a very high relative humidity, often as high as 90 degrees. This regulated weather slows up the surface drying, but the heat brings the inside moisture to the surface of the lumber. In this manner the inside and surface shrink together so no strains develop and therefore no checks, cracks or warping.—Washington Star.

Something in That

A Boston woman was asked why she and her husband always took their vacation separately. "It's this way," she replied: "When we are at home we are each so busy with our own affairs that neither of us has time to see too much of each other. But if we went away on a vacation we would be thrown so much together that we would never want to see each other for the rest of our lives."—Boston Transcript.

Frog Spawn Protected

The Brazilian ferreiro, one of the so-called "nurse frogs," makes a small walled-in basin of mud under water in the pond where it goes to spawn. The spawn is deposited within this depression and here the tadpoles are reared in comparative safety from many of the enemies that would threaten them were they permitted the freedom of the pond.

CARD PARTY

Sponsored by Pleasanton Post 237, American Legion and its Auxiliary

Monday, July 31

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Play starts at 8:15 P. M. *Score Cards 40c*

THE Newark Register

By Miss Patricia Barton

Hayward Theater

New Low Prices

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Thursday-Friday, July 27-28:
Peggy Hopkins Joyce and W. C. Fields in—
"International House"
with a superlative cast.

Saturday, July 29:
Buck Jones in—
"Sundown Rider"
Also Marjorie Rambeau in—
"Strictly Personal"

Sunday-Monday, July 30, 31:
Lee Tracy and Charles Butterworth in—
"The Nuisance"
Also Neil Hamilton and Shiela Terry in—
"Silk Express"

Tuesday, August 1:
Constance Cummings in—
"The Mind Reader"
With William Warren.
Glassware night

Wednesday-Thursday, Aug. 2, 3:
The nation's sweetheart, Janet Gaynor, in—
"Adorable"
With Henry Garat.

ATTEND STANFORD CHAPEL

The Rev. T. E. and Mrs. Mattes, of Newark, and Mr. and Mrs. Carrol and son Eades, of Irvington, and the Rev. Babcock attended the afternoon services in the Stanford Chapel Sunday.

The Carrols and the Rev. Babcock were also dinner guests of the Mattes on Sunday.

CANYON PICNIC

On last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bolyard and daughter, Darlene, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hinkley, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Trescott and children, Betty Jane Steinhoff and John Rice enjoyed a picnic in Niles canyon.

CANYON SWIMMING

Mr. and Mrs. Dewhurst and daughter, Lucy, with Marie Ffeitas Leona and Florence May and Roberta McTear, enjoyed swimming in Niles canyon Thursday night.

BREAKS WRIST

Ronald Barton suffered two fractured bones in his right arm last week. The breaks were just above the wrist joint. The accident occurred when the boy attempted to jump from a tree.

LARGE CROWD

The firemen's ball on last Saturday night in Newark was a great success. The largest crowd ever had was there. About 500 in all attended.

Newark Personals

Joe Jason, of the J and F Metal Products Company, Centerville, attended the game at Newark Sunday.

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Elizabeth Laudenslager was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, of Modesto.

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Duke and J. M. Johnston, of Modesto, are spending a few days in Newark with the Collins.

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Nadine Seppi, who stays with Mrs. Boles, spent Sunday with her grandmother in Stockton.

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Mr. White returned from the hospital last Monday. He is well now.

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Stella Mendonza, of Milpitas, is spending a week with Evelyn Frietas.

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Shirley Costa was taken to an Oakland hospital to remove her tonsils on Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hale and sons returned to Newark on Saturday. They have spent some time in Utah.

Alvarado Theatre

NEW LOW PRICES
Big Double Bill
SAT.-SUN., July 29th and 30th
Fay Ray and 'Gene Raymond
—in—

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and Buck Jones in—
"Unknown Valley"

New Low Rates
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HAYWARD CUBS LOSE TO NEWARK TEAM IN HOT CAME

The game between the Hayward and Newark teams in Newark on Sunday was another victory for the Newark J and F's. They won by twelve points, the final score being 18 to 6.

During the game, three home runs were scored by the J and F players—Dondero. Robinson and deValle. Wm. Tazzarine, who was five times at bat, collected four hits.

The two pitchers for Newark were close in honors. Cooper allowed five hits and struck out allowed five hits and struck out six men in four innings. Wilson four men in five innings.

Following are the box scores for both teams:

NEWARK	AB	R	H
Robinson	3	4	2
Silva	3	2	2
Soito	6	2	2
Dondero	4	3	2
Tazzarine	5	1	4
deValle	6	2	3
Arnellos	6	2	3
Nunes	5	1	1
Cooper	1	0	0
Wilson	3	1	2
	42	18	21

HAYWARD CUBS	AR	R	H
Amaral	5	0	1
Gerald	5	0	0
Silva	5	0	0
Louis	5	1	1
Bedford	4	2	1
Felix	4	1	2
Soares	4	2	2
Eronst	4	0	1
Michie	3	0	0
Oliver	1	0	0
	40	6	8

The Newark J and F's will meet the Irvington Reds at Irvington next Sunday, July 30.

The Newark and Hayward Athletics are tied for first place in the second half in this league.

Newark Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Trescott and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Williams on Sunday.

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Jeanette Silva spent last week in Oakland with Betty Schoring.

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Mr. O. Zorns is spending a few days in the Springs near Calistoga.

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Mrs. Flaherty and niece, Miss Haley, of San Francisco, and Mr. and Mrs. de Knoop and son attended services in the University of Stanford Chapel on Sunday.

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Mr. Buck and Mr. Overacker were fishing in Crockett last week.

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Edgar Stevenson, of San Francisco, visited friends in Newark over the week end.

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Mrs. A. de Vries, of Fresno. and Mr. and Mrs. F. de Vries and children, of Coalinga, were guests at the home of their cousin, Mrs. deKnoop, of Newark, last week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT FIGHTS DANGEROUS CREEK-BED BLAZE

A grass fire, starting in the creek bottom behind the old lumber yard at the foot of street, Friday evening at 6:10 brought the Niles fire department into quick action.

Beginning in the trash heaps in the creek bed, the flames quickly spread along the embankment, and threatened the adjacent buildings. Bringing the flames under control, the firemen allowed the dry grass to burn away, thus removing the hazard for the remainder of the summer months. By careful backfiring, the department destroyed the grass about the buildings immediately opposite the scene of the initial blaze.

Acording to Chief Tony Alves, the trash in the creek bed will be burned, thus eradicating the danger of fires similar to the one Friday.

By JACK TOWNSEND

Jack Townsend and Lawrence Pine last week put Camp Adahi, camp fire summer camp, in order before the girls arrived for their two-week stay. Townsend and Pine went there on Thursday and spent three days in the construction of a dam, for a swimming place and in the construction of shower baths. They returned Sunday.

Members of Troop No. 2, Niles scouts, are making preparation for the big camporal to be held at Golden Gate Park in San Francisco in September.

The scouts are purchasing needed equipment and planning novel activities. Each scout of the camporal patrol will have a scout stave on which will be engraved his scout history. The pup tents to be used at the meet by the troop wil be in the troop colors, black and orange.

Niles scouts are making tentative plans at the present time to use the Adahi camp site at big basin for a boy scout summer camp next year.

Alvarado Theatre Sets New Admission Rates

Under the new management of Elecio Naharro, the Alvarado Theatre is offering splendid pictures at reduced prices. According to Naharro, any seat in the house is 25 cents.

Opening Saturday night after extensive renovations, the Alvarado theatre will show a double bill featuring the play "Anne Carver's Profession" with Fay Wray. Also Buck Jones in "Unknown Valley." The same bill will play Sunday night.

PLEASANTON GIRL IS HONORED AT PARTY

Miss Mildred Silva, daughter of Mrs. Rose Getrge, of Pleasanton, was honored at a surprise birthday party held at the George home on Division street recently.

Miss Silva was happily surprised by her many friends who dropped in early and wished her happy birthday greetings. She was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

The guests enjoyed playing ames and dancing. At midnight a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. George. The party continued until the early morning hours.

Among those present were the Misses Roma and Edwina Rodrigues, Annabelle Souza, Eleanor Hansen, and the honored guest, and Joseph Peters, Bob Silva,, Ed and John Dolstra, Arnold Abrott, Charles Viada, Monty Macer, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Elworthy, and Mrs. George of Pleasanton; George Gieb and Melvin Teeter, of Niles; Roselixe and Mae Egan, Hazel Mendoza, Mrs. Manuel Avilla and Manuel Avilla, of Sunol; and Lydia Avilla and Wm. Berns, of Oakland, and Bob Perkins, of Berkeley.

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CANYON PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Vogelsang, of Oakland, and her two daughters, enjoyed a picnic in Niles Canyon Sunday afternoon. The Vogelsangs arrived Saturday night for a week-end visit. The Petersons accompanied them back to Oakland Sunday night.

Register for better printing.

TRAFFIC COURT NOT BUSY

A total of twenty dollars was taken in fines Friday at the Niles justice court, from four violators of the motor vehicle act. According to Judge J. A. Silva, the motorists this summer seem to be heeding the law, since the cases are few and far between.

Farrington Dairy—"To Be Sure."
—M30-A20c.

MARBLES TO RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Marble are slated to return to Niles today, after an extended stay at Munnsville, New York. Mrs. Marble, who has been staying with her mother, Mrs. Orcutt, was joined by her husband in New York about a month ago. They spent a few days at the Chicago fair.

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HIGHWAY Brand
Pint Bottle 5c

Deviled Ham
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Makes Delicious Sandwiches
No. 1/8 Can 5c

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LESLIE'S SALT
for Table and Kitchen
1½-lb. Pkg. 5c

Noodles
RED DIAMOND
6-oz. Pkg. 5c

Tomato Juice
CAMPBELL'S
Make your own soup or serve cold as a beverage
12½-oz. can 5c

Cherries
Marischino Style
Use them in Cocktail and Salads
2 Oz. Bottle 5c

Tomato Soup
VAN CAMP'S Brand
Give Your Children Plenty of Soup
Regular size.
Can 5c

Kipperd Snacks
Take Plenty on that Week-end Camping.
Delicious with Crackers and Mustard
3¼-oz. Can 5c

Palmolive Soap
Keep that School Girl Cmplexion
Bar 5c

Dog Food
VIGOROL Brand
Tops them all
1-lb. can 5c

Olives
LIBBY'S QUEEN Brand
Have a Supply on Hand at all Times
No. 4 Bottle 5c

Marshmallows
FLUFFIEST Brand
Use them in Hot Chocolate or Cold Salads
5-oz. Pkg. 5c

Peaches
DEL MONTE
All You Want
Buf. Tin 5c

Pineapple
Tidbits—Libby's Brand
Use them with Cottage Cheese in Salads
Buf. Tin 5c

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SAFEWAY Family Flour. Buy now—get tax FREE.
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Good to the Last Drop.
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GUITTARD'S Ground.
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MAYONNAISE—
BEST FOODS—Double Whipped. Give Children Plenty in Salads.
Qt. Jar 49c
Pint Jar 29c

Other Good Values

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FRESH CORN—
5 EARS for 5c

LETTUCE—
2 HEADS for 5c

SQUASH—
ITALIAN or SUMMER
2 POUNDS for 5c

TOMATOES—
FIRM—RIPE
2 POUNDS for 7c

LEMONS—
Make Lemonade on Hot Days
3 LEMONS for 5c

BANANAS—
GOLDEN RIPE
Pound 5c

Matches
Highway Brand
Strike Anywhere
2 boxes for 5c

Cleanser
Sunbrite
Double Action
Single Cost
Cleans and Scours
2 cans for 5c

Sani-Clor
MAKES CLOTHES WHITER
Pint Bottle 5c

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